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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Mulle et al.

Serial No.: 10/738,364

For: COVER FOR FOOD PROCESSING APPLIANCE WITH ENLARGED INGRESS AREA

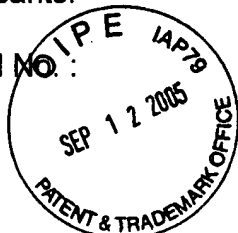
Filed: December 17, 2003

Examiner: Francis Faye

Art Unit: 3725

Confirmation No.: 8555

Customer No.: 27,623



Attorney Docket No.: 883.0061USU

Mail Stop Amendment
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

We are enclosing an Amendment in response to the communication dated June 7, 2005 in the above-identified application.

Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$_____ to extend the time for filing this response until _____.

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	
Total Claims	17	Minus	20	0	x \$50.00	\$
Independent Claims	3	Minus	3	0	x \$200.00	\$
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE						x \$360.00 = \$
TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES						\$0.00
1/2 FILING FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY						\$N/A

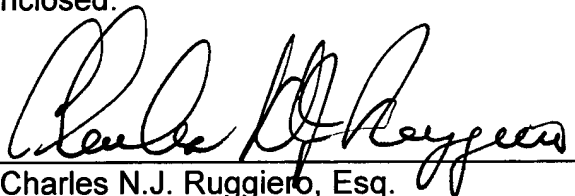
The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be \$ 0.00.

 A check in the amount of \$ 0.00 is attached.

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 50-1239** in the name of **Conair Corporation**. Any deficiency in fees should be charged to Deposit Account No. **01-0467** in the name of **Ohlandt, Greeley, Ruggiero & Perle, L.L.P.** A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

September 7, 2005

Date



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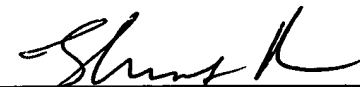
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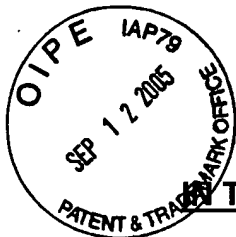
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 7, 2005, hereinafter "the Office Action", please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.